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Subject: Appreciation of Officer Vargas and 311 APP training at Parkview

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Captain Lopez,

We want to thank you for making 311 training available to our residents of Parkview Senior Living both in English and Spanish. There was an excellent turnout of influencers yesterday. Officer Vargas was an first-rate representative as Community Service Officer of Rampart LAPD. He stayed focused on training amidst the many who wished to side track with personal complaints about homeless. Empathetic, knowledgeable, and available were characteristic of his time. The unified call of this meeting following training, was for more police presence in Park. This is where you can help.

We would like to invite You and Senior Lead Officer Solorio to Mitch O'Farrell's update on homeless in Echo Park. Mitch has confirmed January 23, Thursday, 2:00 PM, Parkview Community Room for a meeting. This will be an opportune time for residents to share their deep concerns about the lack of effective steps in CD 13 and City Hall with the homeless crisis. We have been assured from his Office that Mitch personally will be attending and not just send a field representative.

Your continued leadership and attention to the increasing safety and health hazards of homeless is appreciated. Look forward in working together with you and you team for a better quality of life for all in Echo Park.

Best regards,

Rick Wulfestieg, Parkview Senior Living Community Relations
